
HOUSE BILL No. 1272

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 2-7-5-6.

Synopsis: Lobbying by former legislators. Provides that an individual who has served as a member of the general assembly may not register as a lobbyist during the period that ends one year after the date that the individual ceases to be a member of the general assembly. Provides that the prohibition applies only to an individual who ceases to be a member of the general assembly after June 30, 2005.

Effective: July 1, 2005.

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January 11, 2005, read first time and referred to Committee on Government and Regulatory Reform.

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Introduced

First Regular Session 114th General Assembly (2005)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2004 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning the general assembly.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 2-7-5-6 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
2 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2005]: Sec. 6. (a) The following persons may
3 not be registered as a lobbyist under this article:

4 (1) Any individual convicted of a felony for violating any law
5 while the individual was an officer or employee of any agency of
6 state government or a unit of local government.

7 (2) Any person convicted of a felony relating to lobbying.

8 (3) Any person convicted of a felony and who:

9 (A) is in prison;

10 (B) is on probation; or

11 (C) has been in prison or on probation within the immediate
12 past one (1) year.

13 (4) Any person whose:

14 (A) statement or report required to be filed under this article
15 was found to be materially incorrect as a result of a
16 determination under IC 2-7-6-5; and

17 (B) who has not filed a corrected statement or report for that



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- 1 year when requested to do so by the commission.
- 2 (5) Any person who has failed to pay a civil penalty assessed
- 3 under IC 2-7-6-5.
- 4 (6) Any person who is on the most recent tax warrant list supplied
- 5 to the commission by the department of state revenue until:
- 6 (A) the person provides a statement to the commission
- 7 indicating that the person's delinquent tax liability has been
- 8 satisfied; or
- 9 (B) the commission receives a notice from the commissioner
- 10 of the department of state revenue under IC 6-8.1-8-2(k).
- 11 **(b) An individual who:**
- 12 **(1) has served as a member of the general assembly; and**
- 13 **(2) ceases to be a member of the general assembly after June**
- 14 **30, 2005;**
- 15 **may not be registered as a lobbyist under this article during the**
- 16 **period that ends one (1) year after the date that the individual**
- 17 **ceases to be a member of the general assembly.**

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